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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, DPD/ADMIN

SUBJECT : Courier/Movement IDEALIST Mission Take

1. It is proposed that the present courier system in effect for movement subject material be revised. Under the proposed plan two couriers from the Office of Security would be alerted and placed on a standby status. The men to be used would be briefed on the nature of their mission, would be issued orders, air travel tickets, and an advance of funds to be ready on very short notice to move out.

2. Under this system, upon notice, one of the two couriers, for the sake of this memorandum Mr. A. and Mr. B., would travel by fastest available Com Air [redacted] where he would take custody of the classified cargo from one of the three Project security personnel who would have escorted the material [redacted]. The Headquarters courier will then proceed by Mil Air to Travis AFB where he will be met and transported to San Francisco, and will then move to Rochester or Washington, D. C., as appropriate, by Com Air.

3. As this system becomes implemented the alternate courier for each mission would become the primary courier for the next, and so on until all those on the list had been utilized. The air tickets, and advance funds in the form of AMEXCO checks would be subject to immediate recall by DPD/Finance. The SO for IDEALIST will monitor to prevent finance accounts becoming delinquent. It is believed that this system, if it proves workable will conserve Agent's investigative time for OS, and will result in saving of Per Diem payments to couriers, who will make quick round trips with no delay in [redacted].

4. Should there be no objection to this proposal, it will be implemented with the briefing of two couriers on Thursday, 14 June 1962.

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Chief, Security Branch
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